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The following information was compiled as of February 5, 1954 for the convenience of baseball writers, broadcasters and telecasters.

Names of players are arranged alphabetically.

FLOYD WILSON BAKER (Infielder)

Born Luray, Virginia, October 10, 1919

Bats Left and Throws Right; 5' 9", 165 lbs.

Baker started in pro ball with Mayfield of the Kitty League in 1938. He saw service with the Browns, White Sox and Nationals before coming to the Red Sox on May 12, 1953. "Bake" was a member of the pennant-winning Browns of 1944. On July 14, 1949, he tied the American League record by participating in three double plays at third base. At second base in 1952 Floyd had but two errors in 329 chances for a .994 mark. His hobbies are bowling and handball. During the off season he works as a TV salesman in Youngstown, Ohio. Baker is married, has a son and daughter.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1938	Mayfield	Kitty	125	457	111	158	207	85	2	.346	266	421	42	52	.942
1939	Youngstown	Mid.-Atl.	103	406	67	108	139	44	1	.266	206	293	38	49	.929
1940	Youngstown	Mid.-Atl.	124	465	83	141	174	48	0	.303	220	348	38	—	.937
1941	Springfield	I.I.I.	124	486	79	154	201	65	8	.317	231	406	31	71	.954
1942	San Antonio	Texas	100	374	44	122	142	31	0	.326	168	328	21	54	.959
1943	St. Louis	A.L.	22	46	5	8	10	4	0	.174	24	27	2	7	.962
1943	Toledo	A.A.	37	149	21	38	46	14	1	.255	63	124	7	23	.964
1944	St. Louis	A.L.	44	97	10	17	20	5	0	.175	41	68	5	9	.956
1945	Chicago	A.L.	82	208	22	52	60	19	0	.250	51	127	5	10	.973
1946	Milwaukee	A.A.	120	464	81	133	164	35	0	.287	248	327	13	62	.978
1947	Chicago	A.L.	105	371	61	98	116	22	0	.264	88	258	7	29	.980
1948	Chicago	A.L.	104	335	47	72	86	18	0	.215	131	127	13	32	.952
1949	Chicago	A.L.	125	380	38	101	127	40	1	.260	111	280	9	32	.978
1950	Chicago	A.L.	83	186	26	59	66	11	0	.317	53	105	2	9	.988
1951	Chicago	A.L.	82	133	24	35	43	14	0	.263	40	58	6	8	.942
1952	Washington	A.L.	79	263	27	69	77	33	0	.262	166	196	6	42	.984
1953	Washington	A.L.	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	.000	67	93	5	18	.964
1953	Boston	A.L.	81	172	22	47	55	24	0	.273					

MILTON JOSEPH BOLLING, III (Infielder)

Born Mississippi City, Mississippi, August 9, 1930
Bats and Throws Right; 6' 1", 175 lbs.

At McGill High School Bolling was a baseball and All-State basketball player. He also played three years of American Legion ball. Milt is now in his senior year at Spring Hill College. He was signed to his first contract with Roanoke by George Digby, Red Sox scout, and in 1949 was selected on the All-Star team in the Piedmont League. Recalled from Birmingham, he joined the Red Sox September 5, 1952. Last season he missed about a month of play because of a foot injury. A brother Frank, infielder with Buffalo last year, is with the Detroit Tigers. Bolling finds time to work in an insurance business in addition to his studies. He is married, has a young daughter, and makes his home in Mobile, Alabama.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1948	Roanoke	Pied.	85	293	22	54	76	23	1	.184	162	253	24	35	.945
1949	Roanoke	Pied.	139	521	70	120	188	67	12	.230	256	399	48	50	.932
1950	Scranton	East.	119	459	73	132	174	37	5	.288	213	280	34	52	.935
1950	Birmingham	South.	10	27	1	2	2	0	0	.074	10	19	3	3	.906
1951	Scranton	East.	71	221	20	56	74	29	0	.253	106	141	16	25	.939
1952	Birmingham	South.	94	332	42	83	119	32	8	.250	195	333	33	73	.941
1952	Boston	A.L.	11	36	4	8	12	3	1	.222	22	41	1	6	.984
1953	Boston	A.L.	109	323	30	85	114	28	5	.263	174	321	23	71	.956

ROBERT JAMES BROOME (Outfielder)

Born Cedartown, Ga., October 27, 1924

Bats and Throws Left; 6', 190 lbs.

Discharged from the Navy after four years service, Bob signed his first contract with St. Augustine of the Florida State League in 1947. He batted .333 in 77 games with Fayetteville in 1948 and moved to Portsmouth. "Dusty" recalls hitting the winning home run for Portsmouth in the last inning of each game of a doubleheader against Norfolk. Acquired by Nashville following the 1950 season, he was selected by Louisville and his contract was purchased by the Red Sox in October, 1953. Broome's other sports interests are hunting, football and fishing; and his hobby is collecting old coins. He is married, has a son, and during the off season works at his trade as a plumber for the city of Summerville, Georgia.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1947	St. Augustine	Fla. State	57	165	25	43	57	28	0	.261	84	8	3	.968
1948	Fayetteville	Tri-State	77	233	48	78	119	40	5	.333	101	7	9	.923
1949	Portsmouth	Pied.	112	361	64	112	155	53	7	.310	168	14	10	.948
1950	Portsmouth	Pied.	127	440	82	135	218	75	15	.307	203	11	10	.955
1951	Louisville	A.A.	99	338	61	96	148	67	10	.284	207	14	8	.965
1952	Louisville	A.A.	31	104	18	21	30	13	2	.202	44	3	2	.959
1952	Birmingham	South.	20	66	8	13	15	8	0	.197	38	0	2	.950
1952	Albany	East.	14	45	3	13	22	7	0	.289	28	0	0	1.000
1953	Louisville	A.A.	117	359	56	110	176	85	14	.306	190	0	8	.960

HECTOR HAROLD BROWN (Pitcher)

Born Greensboro, N. C., December 11, 1924

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 2", 180 lbs.

Brown played American Legion ball and attended the University of North Carolina before entering the Army Air Force in 1943. In 1946 he was signed to a Roanoke contract by Bunn Hearn and later optioned to Durham of the Piedmont League where he won 15 in a row. In 1951 with Seattle, he won 16 and lost 6 to help his club win the Pacific Coast League crown, and racked up three more wins in the playoffs. His contract was acquired by the Red Sox in February, 1953. Last season he had beaten every club in the league by July 12. "Skinny's" hobbies are golf, fishing and hunting. He is married, has a young daughter and has continued to make his home in Greensboro.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1946	Roanoke	Pied.	10	—	1	4	41	24	37	—	18	30	—
1946	Durham	Carol.	21	17	15	5	167	66	155	—	54	122	—
1947	Roanoke	Pied.	31	21	19	8	228	118	244	105	61	94	4.14
1948	Scranton	East.	28	14	12	6	185	63	160	54	44	67	2.63
1949	Louisville	A.A.	33	15	8	13	193	96	217	71	51	70	3.31
1950	Seattle	P.C.	46	15	13	13	222	137	242	115	78	87	4.66
1951	Chicago	A.L.	3	0	0	0	9	9	15	9	4	4	9.00
1951	Seattle	P.C.	27	13	16	6	168	66	151	57	36	70	3.05
1952	Chicago	A.L.	24	1	2	3	72	39	82	34	21	31	4.25
1953	Boston	A.L.	30	6	11	6	166	94	177	86	57	62	4.66

WILLIAM ANGELO CONSOLO (Infielder)

Born Cleveland, Ohio, August 18, 1934

Bats and Throws Right; 5' 11", 180 lbs.

Consolo is a graduate of Dorsey High School in Los Angeles where he won many athletic honors. He was chosen on the All-Star baseball team in 1950, '51 and '52; selected Player of the Year in 1951 and '52; Athlete of the Year in 1952 and received the Helms Athletic Foundation award. Bill played American Legion ball with the Crenshaw Post 715 and captained the 1951 National Champions. He was first string guard on the high school basketball team and a sprinter on the track team: clocked for the 100 in 10 flat. Bill was signed to a Red Sox contract by Joe Stephenson in February 1953. His hobby is ceramics. He is single, and makes his home with his parents in Los Angeles, California.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1953	Boston	A.L.	47	65	9	14	21	6	1	.215	26	47	6	13	.924

PETER HARVEY DALEY, JR. (Catcher)

Born Grass Valley, California, January 14, 1930

Bats and Throws Right; 6', 195 lbs.

Daley won high scholastic and athletic honors at Grass Valley High School. In his senior year, he was student-body president, and at graduation received the athletic trophy award. Pete played football, and was picked on the all-conference baseball and basketball teams. He was signed by Charlie Wallgren to a Louisville contract, and optioned to San Jose in 1948. After service in the Army he returned to the Louisville Club in March, 1953. His hobby is model air planes. Pete is married and still makes his home in Grass Valley.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1948	San Jose	Calif.	47	160	18	36	51	16	2	.225	216	33	11	.958
1949	Roanoke	Pied.	121	437	76	129	216	86	17	.295	656	78	15	.980
1950	Scranton	East.	35	115	16	28	39	22	2	.243	164	29	10	.951
1950	Louisville	A.A.	62	209	30	55	84	31	4	.263	285	29	4	.987
1951 & 1952	Military Service													
1953	Louisville	A.A.	84	289	28	74	97	33	2	.256	400	41	10	.978

LEWIS LESTER DAMMAN (Infielder)

Born Orange, Calif., February 11, 1928

Bats Left and Throws Right; 5' 9", 160 lbs.

Damman attended high school in Lewiston, Idaho. His other sports were basketball and football. He entered professional baseball as a member of the Brooklyn organization in 1948; and was selected by Birmingham from Billings, Montana, of the Pioneer League in December of 1949. With Birmingham in 1950, Lew hit home runs in three consecutive times at bat. Army service took him to Korea and he was discharged in the fall of 1952. His hobbies are hunting and fishing, he winters in Lewiston. Damman is single.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1948	Santa Barb.	Calif.	87	347	54	101	143	46	6	.291	133	112	18	16	.932
1949	Santa Barb.	Calif.	118	452	103	137	239	88	21	.303	164	267	31	41	.933
1950	Birmingham	South.	115	423	77	116	187	49	14	.274	229	285	21	47	.961
1951 & 1952	Military Service														
1953	Louisville	A.A.	119	426	66	113	151	48	3	.265	94	208	19	24	.941

IVAN MARTIN DELOCK (Pitcher)

Born Highland Park, Michigan, November 11, 1929
Bats and Throws Right; 5' 11", 175 lbs.

"Ike", a nickname acquired in his first year of professional ball, played baseball, basketball and football at Highland Park High School. Ivan was signed to an Auburn, N. Y., contract by Maurice Deloof upon his discharge from the Marine Corps. In 1951 with Scranton he was named on the All-Star team. His contract was purchased in September and he joined the Red Sox after the Eastern League Playoffs. Last season Delock was optioned to Louisville in late April, and recalled the first of July. His hobbies are ice skating and cars, and the past winter he worked in the courtesy department of Dodge Bros. automobile plant. He is married.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	Auburn, N.Y.	Border	24	6	5	5	103	75	99	59	87	56	5.16
1949	Oneonta	Can.-Am.	33	13	12	13	199	131	206	93	107	103	4.21
1950	Roanoke	Pied.	39	15	15	8	213	75	161	68	105	147	2.87
1951	Birmingham	South.	5		0	1	13	11	17	8	5	5	5.54
1951	Scranton	East.	30	20	20	4	211	61	166	45	74	136	1.92
1951	Boston	A.L.					No Record						
1952	Louisville	A.A.	2	2	2	0	16	4	10	4	5	16	2.25
1952	Boston	A.L.	39	1	4	9	95	50	88	45	50	46	4.26
1953	Louisville	A.A.	12	3	3	6	85	35	75	28	18	43	2.96
1953	Boston	A.L.	23	0	3	1	49	27	60	24	20	22	4.41

JOSEPH GORDON DOBSON (Pitcher)

Born Durant, Oklahoma, January 20, 1917

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 2", 200 lbs.

Dobson was signed to his first contract by Grover Land, Cleveland scout, while playing semi-pro ball around Tucson, Arizona. He established league record for pitchers with 156 consecutive games, April 26, 1939 to September 24, 1943, before making first major league error. Joe signed as a free agent with the Red Sox in January. In his previous eight seasons with Boston he won 106 and lost 72—his major league totals are 137-103. In the 1946 Red Sox-Cardinals World Series he won a complete game—pitched a total of 12-2/3 innings without allowing an earned run. Dobson's hobbies are golf and hunting. He is married, has a son, and lives in Needham, Mass.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1937	Troy	Ala.-Fla.	39	26	19	12	270	93	217	68	71	200	2.27
1938	New Orleans	South.	43	9	11	7	178	76	155	65	58	95	3.29
1939	Cleveland	A.L.	35	0	2	3	78	56	87	51	51	27	5.88
1940	Cleveland	A.L.	40	2	3	7	100	60	101	55	48	57	4.95
1941	Boston	A.L.	27	—	12	5	134	70	136	67	67	69	4.50
1942	Boston	A.L.	30	10	11	9	183	73	155	67	68	72	3.30
1943	Boston	A.L.	25	9	7	11	164	63	144	57	57	63	3.13
1944-1945	Military	Service											
1946	Boston	A.L.	32	9	13	7	167	72	148	60	68	91	3.23
1947	Boston	A.L.	33	15	18	8	229	84	203	75	73	110	2.95
1948	Boston	A.L.	38	16	16	10	245	115	237	97	92	116	3.56
1949	Boston	A.L.	33	12	14	12	213	103	219	91	97	87	3.85
1950	Boston	A.L.	39	12	15	10	207	103	217	96	81	81	4.17
1951	Chicago	A.L.	28	6	7	6	147	68	136	59	51	67	3.61
1952	Chicago	A.L.	29	11	14	10	201	66	164	56	60	101	2.51
1953	Chicago	A.L.	23	3	5	5	101	46	96	41	37	50	3.65

WALTER ARTHUR EVERS (Outfielder)

Born St. Louis, Mo., February 8, 1921

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 2", 180 lbs.

Walter is perhaps better known in baseball by his nickname, "Hoot". He played high school ball at Collinsville, Illinois, and was a star at the University of Illinois in four sports—baseball, basketball, track and tennis. Evers was signed to his first pro contract by the late "Wish" Egan. In 1950 he established the American League record for outfielders in fielding percentage—.997. Walter joined the Red Sox on June 3, 1952. He has played in two All-Star games. "Hoot's" hobby is fishing. He spends the winters in Bradenton, Florida, with his wife and two daughters.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1941	Beaumont	Texas	7	23	2	4	4	2	0	.174	15	1	1	.941
1941	Wins.-Salem.	Pied.	117	415	41	96	124	36	4	.231	229	15	9	.964
1941	Detroit	A.L.	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000
1942	Beaumont	Texas	152	556	92	179	253	92	10	.322	368	15	4	.990
1943 1944-1945	Military Service													
1946	Detroit	A.L.	81	304	42	81	109	33	4	.266	196	2	5	.975
1947	Detroit	A.L.	126	460	67	136	200	67	10	.296	334	10	8	.977
1948	Detroit	A.L.	139	538	81	169	244	103	10	.314	392	8	11	.973
1949	Detroit	A.L.	132	432	68	131	185	72	7	.303	319	12	2	.994
1950	Detroit	A.L.	143	526	100	170	290	103	21	.323	325	15	1	.997
1951	Detroit	A.L.	116	393	47	88	140	46	11	.224	234	9	6	.976
1952	Detroit	A.L.	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1.000	219	8	6	.974
1952	Boston	A.L.	106	401	53	105	172	59	14	.262				
1953	Boston	A.L.	99	300	39	72	117	31	11	.240	161	3	2	.988

BENNETT FLOWERS, JR. (Pitcher)

Born Goldsboro, N. C., June 15, 1927
Bats and Throws Right; 6' 4", 195 lbs.

Flowers played American Legion baseball around Wilson, North Carolina, his present home, attended Atlantic Christian College; was signed by Bunn Hearn and pitched for Roanoke in 1945. His contract was purchased by the Red Sox from Louisville in October, 1950. Optioned briefly to Baltimore in 1953, Ben was recalled June 11. In his first major league start he shut out St. Louis 5-0. Flowers set a major league record relieving in eight consecutive games. Ben's hobby is golf, and last winter he was an insurance salesman. He is married and has a young daughter.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1945	Roanoke	Pied.	34	11	15	8	169	74	167	63	59	121	3.36
1946	Roanoke	Pied.	7	5	4	1	56	17	41	16	25	25	2.57
1947	In Military Service												
1948	Roanoke	Pied.	37	19	11	13	236	102	185	82	153	135	3.13
1949	Scranton	East.	32	7	11	9	164	72	141	61	112	105	3.35
1950	Louisville	A.A.	33	1	3	4	77	38	68	29	46	49	3.39
1951	Scranton	East.	32	19	17	8	218	97	200	79	79	122	3.26
1951	Boston	A.L.	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	2	0.00
1952	Birmingham	South.	10	3	2	6	59	33	62	32	27	35	4.88
1952	San Diego	P.C.	26	13	11	10	167	61	149	59	62	114	3.18
1953	Baltimore	Int.	5	2	3	2	36	12	29	10	13	19	2.50
1953	Boston	A.L.	32	1	1	4	79	39	87	34	24	36	3.87

HERSHELL BASKIN FREEMAN, JR. (Pitcher)

Born Gadsden, Alabama, July 1, 1928

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 2", 215 lbs.

Freeman started as an outfielder, but switched to pitching in an American Legion Tourney. He broke into professional ball in 1948, trained with Birmingham and was assigned to Natchez where he won three games in two days. In 1951 with Birmingham he made 50 appearances in relief during the regular season, and seven in the playoffs. His contract was purchased by the Red Sox in September. On option to Louisville the latter part of 1953, Hershell was used solely in relief. He lists his hobbies as fishing and art, and during the off season is assistant manager of a chain store. "Buster" makes his home in East Gadsden, Alabama; he is married and has a young son.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	Natchez	Cotton St.	38	14	18	9	203	73	180	53	52	155	2.35
1948	Birmingham	South.			1	1							
1949	Scranton	East.	28	8	8	6	133	57	118	50	63	69	3.38
1950	Scranton	East.	31	5	9	5	149	89	162	66	57	83	3.99
1951	Birmingham	South.	50	1	12	5	107	59	113	55	32	66	4.63
1952	Louisville	A.A.	38	0	8	7	74	28	73	24	28	48	2.92
1952	Boston	A.L.	4	1	1	0	14	5	13	5	5	5	3.23
1953	Boston	A.L.	18	0	1	4	39	31	50	24	17	15	5.54
1953	Louisville	A.A.	28	0	4	4	54	22	55	20	9	31	3.33

VINCENT THOMAS FURFARO (Infielder)

Born White Plains, N. Y., May 1, 1931
Bats and Throws Right; 5' 9", 186 lbs.

At Somerville, N. J., High School Furfaro was named on the All-County baseball team three years and the All-State team in his senior year. His other sport was football. He was signed to a Birmingham contract by Bill McCarren and assigned to Marion in 1949. With Oneonta in 1950 Vincent hit four home runs in three games and in a Roanoke-Richmond game May, 1951, he drove in eight runs with two home runs (one a grand slam), a triple and a single. His hobbies are hunting and swimming. Last winter Furfaro worked for a construction company in Somerville.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1949	Marion	Ohio-Ind.	44	148	29	41	67	18	2	.277	30	60	7	5	.928
1950	Roanoke	Pied.	26	93	12	21	32	14	2	.226	30	38	5	4	.932
1950	Oneonta	Can.-Am.	83	295	44	77	111	53	5	.261	88	160	16	23	.939
1951	Roanoke	Pied.	29	106	19	41	70	29	6	.387	29	41	6	2	.921
1952 to June 1953	Military Service														
1953	Roanoke	Pied.	20	73	11	15	21	7	1	.205	13	29	4	2	.913

RICHARD EDWARD GERNERT (Infielder)

Born Reading, Pennsylvania, September 12, 1929
Bats and Throws Right; 6' 3", 205 lbs.

Gernert's sports at Reading High School were baseball, basketball and football. He played American Legion ball and was on the State Championship team in 1945. He was signed to a Louisville contract by Johnny Murphy after working out at Fenway Park. Dick attended the rookie school in Sarasota in 1952, and then joined the Red Sox in spring training. He led the Red Sox in home runs and runs batted in in 1952, and home runs in '53. Last season Gernert hit two home runs in one game twice. His hobbies are fishing and golf, and in the off season he attended Temple University. Dick is single.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1950	San Jose	Calif.	21	94	26	36	59	24	2	.383	172	9	3	15	.984
1950	Scranton	East.	69	234	40	62	97	40	6	.265	565	48	12	39	.981
1950	Louisville	A.A.	26	73	6	16	17	3	0	.219	157	8	6	17	.965
1951	Scranton	East.	124	431	72	132	193	78	9	.306	914	66	19	94	.981
1952	Louisville	A.A.	19	73	17	23	42	16	4	.315	175	14	0	12	1.000
1952	Boston	A.L.	102	367	58	89	170	67	19	.243	877	67	12	104	.987
1953	Boston	A.L.	139	494	73	125	205	71	21	.253	1223	84	19	139	.986

WILLIAM DALE GOODMAN (Infielder)

Born Concord, N. C., March 22, 1926

Bats Left and Throws Right; 5' 11½", 165 lbs.

Goodman began his baseball career with Atlanta in 1944. His contract was purchased by the Red Sox in 1947. Bill has played all infield positions, left and right field with equal ease. He climaxed his great year of 1950 by leading the American League in hitting with an average of .354, and was named the Most Valuable Boston Player by the baseball writers. In 1952 Goodman led the Red Sox in hits, doubles and total bases; and in 1953 led the club in hits and batting. Last June he reached base twelve times in twelve official trips to the plate (8 hits, 4 bases on balls and one sacrifice). He has played in two All-Star games. Bill's hobbies are hunting and fishing. He is married and makes his home in Sarasota.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1944	Atlanta	South.	137	554	122	186	240	64	2	.336	258	19	12	0	.958
1945	Military Service														
1946	Atlanta	South.	86	332	65	129	152	46	1	.389	228	10	11	5	.956
1947	Boston	A.L.	12	11	1	2	2	1	0	.182	2	0	0	0	1.000
1947	Louisville	A.A.	94	329	55	112	152	49	2	.340	155	130	15	23	.950
1948	Boston	A.L.	127	445	65	138	172	66	1	.310	1101	73	9	120	.992
1949	Boston	A.L.	122	443	54	132	161	56	0	.298	1069	79	9	148	.992
1950	Boston	A.L.	110	424	91	150	203	68	4	.354	344	89	9	28	.980
1951	Boston	A.L.	141	546	92	162	204	50	0	.297	742	170	14	96	.985
1952	Boston	A.L.	138	513	79	157	202	56	4	.306	475	367	20	112	.977
1953	Boston	A.L.	128	514	73	161	210	41	2	.313	418	319	21	106	.972

WILLIAM RODMAN HENRY (Pitcher)

Born Alice, Texas, October 15, 1927

Bats and Throws Left; 6' 2", 180 lbs.

After Pasadena High School in 1946, Henry attended the University of Houston. His first pro experience was with Clarksdale, Mississippi of the Cotton States League in 1948. Bill's contract was purchased by the Red Sox from Shreveport in June, 1951, but he did not report until the spring of 1952. Last season he was recalled from Louisville June 29 and started twelve games. Henry's sports interests are basketball and hunting. He is married, has two young sons, and during the winter months worked for a paper manufacturing company.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	Clarksdale	Cotton St.	27	7	6	9	118	82	126	60	77	83	4.58
1949	Clarksdale	Cotton St.	34	16	14	14	195	96	181	70	117	192	3.23
1950	Greenville	Big St.	26	11	11	7	164	71	135	60	70	137	3.29
1951	Shreveport	Texas	42	11	12	15	229	131	210	113	125	139	4.45
1952	Boston	A.L.	13	5	5	4	77	40	75	33	36	23	3.86
1952	San Diego	P.C.	17	9	7	9	123	54	117	49	55	85	3.59
1953	Louisville	A.A.	14	6	7	3	96	45	90	38	29	46	3.56
1953	Boston	A.L.	21	4	5	5	86	39	86	31	33	56	3.24

THOMAS EDWARD HERRIN (Pitcher)

Born Shreveport, La., September 12, 1929
Bats and Throws Right; 6' 3", 175 lbs.

Herrin attended Louisiana Tech at Ruston two years; his other sport was basketball. He was signed to a contract with Louisville by George Digby in 1949 and was assigned to Oneonta. Tom's contract was acquired by the Red Sox in October, 1952. In that season he was runner-up in complete games pitched in the American Association. With Baltimore in 1953 he appeared in 40 games; 37 in relief—finished 27. Herrin is married, has a son and a daughter, and worked during the winter as a sales representative for a construction equipment company.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1949	Oneonta	Can.-Am.	37	17	16	10	216	125	207	96	132	125	4.00
1950	Scranton	East.	14	4	3	4	86	56	81	38	57	53	3.98
1950	San Jose	Calif.	10	4	3	4	58	40	47	30	52	42	4.66
1951	Scranton	East.	15	7	8	4	72	26	50	23	41	38	2.88
1951	Louisville	A.A.	16	3	3	6	91	56	98	46	57	35	4.55
1952	Louisville	A.A.	28	16	10	12	191	103	190	88	94	78	4.15
1953	Louisville	A.A.	8	0	0	1	25	26	31	25	15	15	9.00
1953	Baltimore	Int.	40	1	8	4	95	41	91	28	48	42	2.65

SIDNEY CHARLES HUDSON (Pitcher)

Born Coalfield, Tenn., January 3, 1917

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 3½", 185 lbs.

Hudson entered professional baseball with Sanford of the Florida State League in 1938. He joined the Washington Club in 1940 where he remained until his contract was acquired by the Red Sox on June 10, 1952. Among his outstanding performances are one-hit games on June 21 and August 6, 1940; and a 1-0 (13 innings) victory over Bob Grove in September of the same year. Last season, in addition to starting 17 games, Sid did considerable fine relief work. He has pitched in one All-Star game. His hobbies are hunting, golf and home movies. In the off season Sid directed a baseball school at Kissimmee, Florida. He is married, has two daughters and makes his home in Lubbock, Texas.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1938	Sanford	Fla. State	27	14	11	7	174	64	135	39	68	136	2.02
1939	Sanford	Fla. State	29	27	24	4	250	64	207	50	63	192	1.80
1940	Washington	A.L.	38	19	17	16	252	149	272	128	81	96	4.57
1941	Washington	A.L.	33	—	13	14	250	124	242	96	97	108	3.46
1942	Washington	A.L.	35	19	10	17	239	140	266	116	70	72	4.37
1943-1944-1945	Military Service												
1946	Washington	A.L.	31	6	8	11	142	75	160	57	37	35	3.61
1947	Washington	A.L.	20	5	6	9	106	66	113	66	58	37	5.60
1948	Washington	A.L.	39	4	4	16	182	128	217	119	107	53	5.88
1949	Washington	A.L.	40	11	8	17	209	117	234	98	91	54	4.22
1950	Washington	A.L.	30	17	14	14	238	129	261	108	98	75	4.08
1951	Washington	A.L.	23	8	5	12	139	90	168	79	52	43	5.12
1952	Washington	A.L.	7	6	3	4	63	22	59	19	29	24	2.71
1952	Boston	A.L.	21	7	7	9	134	64	145	54	36	50	3.63
1953	Boston	A.L.	30	4	6	9	156	65	164	61	49	60	3.52

JACK EUGENE JENSEN (Outfielder)

Born San Francisco, Calif., March 9, 1927

Bats and Throws Right; 5' 11", 190 lbs.

Jensen is an AB graduate (1950) of the University of California. While there he was an All-American fullback in 1948, and then played in the Rose Bowl and East-West All-Star (Shrine) games. Jack was also on the All-American Baseball Team in 1947. A Navy veteran, he was signed by "Brick" Laws, President of the Oakland Club. In 1952 Jensen had a hitting streak of 20 games and led the American League outfielders in assists. He was in the World Series (1950) and the All-Star Game (1952). His contract was acquired by the Red Sox in December, 1953, for the contracts of McDermott and Umphlett. His hobbies are model trains and gardening. Jack married Zoe Ann Olsen, former Olympic Diving Star. They have a young son and daughter and make their home in Oakland.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1949	Oakland	P.C.	125	467	63	122	184	77	9	.261	248	12	16	.942
1950	New York	A.L.	45	70	13	12	21	5	1	.171	36	0	2	.947
1951	New York	A.L.	56	168	30	50	84	25	8	.298	106	6	3	.974
1951	Kansas City	A.A.	42	160	23	42	75	26	9	.263	77	0	1	.987
1952	New York	A.L.	7	19	3	2	5	2	0	.105	291	17	7	.978
1952	Washington	A.L.	144	570	80	163	232	80	10	.286				
1953	Washington	A.L.	147	552	87	147	225	84	10	.266	274	9	5	.983

GEORGE CLYDE KELL (Infielder)

Born Swifton, Arkansas, August 23, 1922

Bats and Throws Right; 5' 10", 175 lbs.

Kell attended Arkansas State College and was signed by Tom Greenwade of Brooklyn. In 1943 he led all organized baseball in batting with an average of .396. He led the league's third basemen in double plays in 1946 and 1951; tied the major league record and set an American League record in 1950 by playing 157 games at third base. He was named by the Baseball Writers' Association on the Sporting News All-Star Major League teams of 1946, '47, '49, '50, '51 and 1952. In 1949 George led the American League in batting. He has played in five All-Star Games. Kell's contract was acquired by the Red Sox on June 3, 1952. In 1953 he was at bat three times vs. Detroit in one inning to tie a major league record, led the American League third basemen in fielding; and led the Red Sox in doubles (41), total bases and runs batted in. His hobbies are hunting and fishing. He is married, has a son and daughter and spends the winters on his cattle farm in Swifton.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1940	Newport	N.E. Ark.	48	169	14	27	35	14	0	.160	59	80	3	7	.979
1941	Newport	N.E. Ark.	118	462	71	143	182	75	1	.310	148	285	37	32	.921
1942	Lancaster	Int. St.	127	465	56	139	161	30	0	.299	360	236	21	24	.966
1943	Lancaster	Int. St.	138	555	120	220	314	79	5	.396	190	362	23	42	.960
1943	Philadelphia	A.L.	1	5	1	1	3	1	0	.200	1	3	0	0	1.000
1944	Philadelphia	A.L.	139	514	51	138	159	44	0	.268	167	289	20	25	.958
1945	Philadelphia	A.L.	147	567	50	154	202	56	4	.272	186	345	20	32	.964
1946	Phila.-Detroit	A.L.	131	521	70	168	225	52	4	.322	143	267	7	27	.983
1947	Detroit	A.L.	152	588	75	188	242	93	5	.320	167	333	20	25	.962
1948	Detroit	A.L.	92	368	47	112	148	44	2	.304	108	146	8	15	.969
1949	Detroit	A.L.	134	522	97	179	244	59	3	.343	154	271	11	23	.975
1950	Detroit	A.L.	157	641	114	218	310	101	8	.340	186	315	9	30	.982
1951	Detroit	A.L.	147	598	92	191	239	59	2	.319	175	310	20	34	.960
1952	Detroit	A.L.	39	152	11	45	56	17	1	.296	113	216	14	21	.959
1952	Boston	A.L.	75	276	41	88	125	40	6	.319					
1953	Boston	A.L.	134	460	68	141	222	73	12	.307	118	231	10	23	.972

LEO PATRICK KIELY (Pitcher)

Born Hoboken, N. J., November 30, 1929

Bats and Throws Left; 6' 2", 185 lbs.

Kiely was signed off the sand lots of Hoboken by Bill McCarren, Red Sox scout. His first professional assignment was with Wellsville. From Scranton in 1949 he moved up to Birmingham in 1950 where after a fine season he was named on the Southern Association All-Star team. Leo came to the Red Sox June 25, 1951, with a minor league record of 41 wins and 27 losses. During his two years service in the Army (11 months in the Far East) he won 34 games —lost 6. His hobby is golf. Leo is single and makes his home in Hoboken.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	Wellsville	Pony	30	16	12	9	180	92	172	68	80	157	3.40
1949	Scranton	East.	15	5	3	5	70	39	58	33	38	43	4.24
1950	Birmingham	South.	34	19	18	9	239	111	236	91	71	156	3.43
1951	Louisville	A.A.	15	8	8	4	108	52	106	51	24	60	4.25
1951	Boston	A.L.	17	4	7	7	113	48	106	42	39	46	3.35

1952 & 1953 Military Service

ELLIS RAYMOND KINDER (Pitcher)

Born Atkins, Arkansas, July 26, 1914

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 1", 195 lbs.

Kinder broke into professional baseball with Jackson in 1938. He led the Kitty League in strike-outs in 1940 and was a unanimous choice for the Southern Association All-Star team in 1944. His contract was acquired by the Red Sox in November, 1947. Ellis led the American League in winning percentage in 1949, and was named on the Sporting News All-Star Major League team. In 1953 he set new American League records for most games (69) and most relief appearances (69), and reached a new Red Sox high for games finished (51). Last July Ellis pitched in six straight games; in August relieved 7 times in 7 days (missed one game). He received the Gene Mack Memorial Award for being named Boston's outstanding player during the 1953 season by the Baseball Writers Association. Kinder is married, has two sons and a daughter and winters in Arlington, Mass.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1938	Jackson	Kitty	1	0	0	0	3	2	4	2	0	0	6.00
1939	Jackson	Kitty	30	13	17	12	223	120	217	89	82	200	3.59
1940	Jackson	Kitty	32	29	21	9	276	107	239	73	81	307	2.38
1941	Binghamton	East.	10	2	3	3	46	21	43	15	6	26	2.93
1941	Jackson	Kitty	18	17	11	6	153	59	113	49	47	179	2.88
1942	Jackson	So. East.	9	7	6	2	72	25	52	23	20	50	2.88
1942	Memphis	South.	18		2	3	62	49	76	38	32	31	5.52
1943	Inactive												
1944	Memphis	South.	30	21	19	6	209	79	197	65	49	132	2.80
1945	Military Service												
1946	St. Louis	A.L.	33	1	3	3	87	35	78	32	36	59	3.31
1947	St. Louis	A.L.	34	10	8	15	194	105	201	97	82	110	4.50
1948	Boston	A.L.	28	10	10	7	178	84	183	74	63	53	3.74
1949	Boston	A.L.	43	19	23	6	252	103	251	94	99	138	3.36
1950	Boston	A.L.	48	11	14	12	207	105	212	98	78	95	4.26
1951	Boston	A.L.	63	1	11	2	127	42	108	36	46	84	2.55
1952	Boston	A.L.	23	4	5	6	98	33	85	28	28	50	2.57
1953	Boston	A.L.	69	0	10	6	107	30	84	22	38	39	1.85

THADDEUS STANLEY LEPCIO (Infielder)

Born Utica, New York, July 28, 1930

Bats and Throws Right; 5' 10", 176 lbs.

Lepcio played baseball, basketball and football at Proctor High School, but at Seton Hall (B.S. degree, 1951) he limited his sports to baseball and was captain of his college team in 1950. He was signed to a Louisville contract by Neil Mahoney in 1951. On option, he played third base for Roanoke until recalled in August. Ted attended the rookie school in Sarasota in 1952 and then joined the Red Sox. Last May he reached base nine straight times (one home run, three singles, five bases on balls). His hobbies are golf and fishing and he spends the off season in Utica. Lepcio is not married.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
1951	Roanoke	Pied.	54	190	21	51	76	27	7	.268	56	90	15	9	.907
1951	Louisville	A.A.	35	137	24	36	62	11	5	.263	62	66	4	12	.970
1952	Louisville	A.A.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000
1952	Boston	A.L.	84	274	34	72	108	26	5	.263	164	212	14	46	.964
1953	Boston	A.L.	66	161	17	38	58	11	4	.236	96	155	6	37	.977

CHARLES RICHARD MAXWELL (Outfielder)

Born Lawton, Michigan, April 8, 1927

Bats and Throws Left; 5' 11", 185 lbs.

Maxwell attended Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo. In 1947 he was signed by "Doc" Bennett to a Roanoke contract and was optioned to Wellsville. With Roanoke in 1949, "Smokey" led the Piedmont League in batting, base hits, home runs, total bases and runs batted in. He was named on league All-Star teams in 1947, '49, '50 and 1953. At Louisville in 1952, Charlie hit 14 of his 21 home runs over the right field wall, a record for Parkway Field. His favorite spectator sport is basketball. His hobbies are hunting and carpentering. Maxwell is married, has a young son and is a resident of Paw Paw, Michigan.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1947	Wellsville	Pony	92	302	63	107	186	79	17	3.54	130	7	5	.965
1948	Roanoke	Pied.	120	422	77	124	200	65	12	.294	203	8	4	.981
1949	Roanoke	Pied.	126	475	104	164	297	112	29	.345	376	29	10	.976
1950	Birmingham	South.	102	369	77	118	223	81	25	.320	179	7	8	.959
1950	Boston	A.L.	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	.000	3	0	0	1.000
1951	Louisville	A.A.	40	153	21	39	64	17	4	.255	97	4	6	.944
1951	Boston	A.L.	49	80	8	15	25	12	3	.188	25	0	2	.926
1952	Boston	A.L.	8	15	0	1	2	0	0	.067	6	1	0	1.000
1952	Louisville	A.A.	135	500	104	141	255	85	21	.282	814	60	13	.985*
1953	Louisville	A.A.	145	538	106	164	265	107	23	.305	360	16	5	.987

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GUY MORTON (Catcher)

Born Tuscaloosa, Ala., November 4, 1931

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 2", 200 lbs.

Guy is the son of the late Guy Morton, Sr., who pitched for Cleveland from 1914 to 1924. Young Morton played baseball, basketball and football at Tuscaloosa Senior High School, then attended the University of Alabama three years. He signed a Birmingham contract and was optioned to Marion in 1949. Guy was named on the All-Star teams of the Coastal Plain League in 1950 and the Piedmont League in 1953. The Red Sox purchased his contract from Louisville in October. Last fall Morton resumed his studies at Alabama for a BS degree. His hobby is hunting. He is married and has a young daughter.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1949	Marion	Ohio-Ind.	46	125	24	33	44	21	0	.264	206	17	9	.961
1950	Kinston	Ctl.-Plain	120	407	55	110	164	63	6	.270	629	70	27	.963
1951 & 1952	Military Service													
1953	Roanoke	Pied.	87	311	53	94	138	46	8	.302	466	45	17	.968
1953	Albany	East.	35	89	9	20	27	13	1	.225	113	7	4	.963

CONSTANTINE NIARHOS (Catcher)

Born Birmingham, Ala., December 6, 1921

Bats and Throws Right; 6', 165 lbs.

Niarhos attended Auburn (Alabama Polytechnic Institute). He was signed to a contract with the New York Yankees by Johnny Nee while playing city league ball in Birmingham. Gus was named on the All-Star clubs every year he played in the minor leagues. His contract was acquired by the Red Sox from St. Louis in November, 1951. In the off season he toured Japan with Ed Lopat's All-Stars and was an instructor at a baseball school in St. Augustine, Florida. His other sports interests are basketball and football, and his hobbies are hunting, fishing and golf. Niarhos is married and makes his home in Phoenixville, Pa., with his wife and two sons.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1941	Akron	M.A.	112	382	61	117	170	57	3	.306	662	77	4	.995
1942	Binghamton	East.	127	407	78	113	135	32	0	.278	564	96	11	.984
1943-44-45	Military Service													
1946	Kansas City	A.A.	17	51	8	12	14	3	0	.235	71	9	1	.988
1946	New York	A.L.	37	40	11	9	12	2	0	.225	76	10	1	.989
1947	Kansas City	A.A.	93	237	44	76	90	26	1	.321	343	49	2	.995
1948	New York	A.L.	83	228	41	61	77	19	0	.268	376	33	4	.990
1949	New York	A.L.	32	43	7	12	16	6	0	.279	84	7	0	1.000
1950	NY-Chicago	A.L.	42	105	17	34	38	16	0	.324	167	14	4	.978
1951	Chicago	A.L.	66	168	27	43	52	10	1	.256	240	31	4	.985
1952	Boston	A.L.	29	58	4	6	6	4	0	.103	107	12	1	.992
1953	Boston	A.L.	16	35	6	7	10	2	0	.200	61	5	1	.985

WILLARD LEE NIXON (Pitcher)

Born Taylorsville, Georgia, June 17, 1928

Bats Left and Throws Right; 6' 2¼", 192 lbs.

Nixon won 18 games and lost only three in two seasons for Alabama Polytechnic Institute (Auburn). He was signed to his first contract by Mace Brown, former major league pitcher, in 1948 and went to Scranton. In July, 1950, after winning 11 and losing 2, and while he was leading the league in strikeouts, Willard was recalled by the Red Sox from Louisville. His hobbies are hunting, fishing and woodworking. Last winter he worked in the laboratory of the Pepperell Manufacturing Co. Nixon is married, has a young son and daughter, and makes his home in Lindale, Ga.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	Scranton	East.	18	12	11	5	132	45	108	37	58	81	2.52
1949	Louisville	A.A.	4	1	0	3	23	13	19	10	18	15	3.91
1949	Birmingham	South.	22	16	14	7	177	79	141	67	99	104	3.41
1950	Louisville	A.A.	13	11	11	2	117	41	95	35	59	97	2.69
1950	Boston	A.L.	22	2	8	6	101	75	126	68	58	57	6.06
1951	Boston	A.L.	33	2	7	4	125	79	136	68	56	70	4.90
1952	Boston	A.L.	23	5	5	4	104	64	115	56	61	50	4.85
1953	Boston	A.L.	23	5	4	8	117	57	114	51	59	57	3.92

KARL ARTHUR OLSON (Outfielder)

Born Ross, California, July 6, 1930

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 3½", 204 lbs.

Olson starred in baseball, basketball and track at the Tamalpais Union High School in Mill Valley. In 1948 he was chosen to represent the west in the Esquire Game at New York City, but did not come east. While playing American Legion ball he was scouted and later signed by Charlie Wallgren, and was assigned to San Jose in 1948. In 1950 "Ole" returned to Birmingham and led the club in hitting. His total bases included 29 doubles, 14 triples and 23 home runs. He also played on the All-Star Team. Karl joined the Red Sox in June, 1951 with a .320 average at Louisville. He entered the Army in August of the same year, served in the Far East and was discharged July, 1953. Olson played baseball on service teams. His hobbies are hunting and fishing and in the off season he works at his trade as a carpenter in Oakland, California. Karl is married.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1948	San Jose	Calif.	70	276	42	82	115	38	2	.297	162	11	11	.940
1949	Birmingham	South.	77	285	39	70	104	33	6	.246	131	9	11	.927
1949	Scranton	East.	59	228	24	59	68	35	1	.259	89	5	4	.959
1950	Birmingham	South.	147	545	104	175	301	100	23	.321	413	17	5	.989
1951	Louisville	A.A.	63	228	35	73	98	31	5	.320	160	7	3	.982
1951	Boston	A.L.	5	10	0	1	1	0	0	.100	8	0	0	1.000
August, 1951—July, 1953	Military Service													
1953	Boston	A.L.	25	57	5	7	12	6	1	.123	31	1	1	.970

MELVIN LLOYD PARNELL (Pitcher)

Born New Orleans, La., June 13, 1922

Bats and Throws Left; 6', 180 lbs.

Parnell entered professional baseball with Centreville, Maryland, 1941, and came to the Red Sox in 1947. In 1949 he led the American League in complete games, games won, innings pitched and earned run average; and was named on the Sporting News All-Star Major League team. Mel has won more games (111) than any other left-hander in Red Sox history. Lefty Grove was previously high with 105 for eight seasons. In 1953 Mel beat the Yankees five times in five starts with an E.R.A. of 0.64. He was the first pitcher to shut out the Yankees four times in one season since Walter Johnson in 1908. Parnell finished the season with a string of 18 scoreless innings. His hobbies are golf, fishing and hunting. He is married, has a young son and daughter, and is still a resident of New Orleans.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1941	Centreville	E. Shore	9	—	4	4	48	27	48	22	16	29	4.13
1942	Canton	Mid. Atl.	29	—	16	9	204	57	157	36	49	125	1.59
1943-1944-1945	Military Service												
1946	Scranton	East.	21	14	13	4	138	36	97	20	49	111	1.30
1947	Boston	A.L.	15	1	2	3	51	41	60	36	27	23	6.35
1947	Louisville	A.A.	4	1	0	2	18	18	24	15	11	11	7.50
1948	Boston	A.L.	35	16	15	8	212	87	205	74	90	77	3.14
1949	Boston	A.L.	39	27	25	7	295	102	258	91	134	122	2.78
1950	Boston	A.L.	40	21	18	10	249	116	244	100	106	93	3.61
1951	Boston	A.L.	36	11	18	11	221	99	229	80	77	77	3.26
1952	Boston	A.L.	33	15	12	12	214	94	207	86	89	107	3.62
1953	Boston	A.L.	38	12	21	8	241	98	217	82	116	136	3.06

JAMES ANTHONY PIERSALL (Outfielder)

Born Waterbury, Conn., November 14, 1929

Bats and Throws Right; 6', 185 lbs.

Piersall's other sport at Leavenworth High School, Waterbury, was basketball, and he was chosen on the All-State and All-New England teams in 1947. He was signed to his first contract with Louisville by Neil Mahoney in 1948 while playing semi-pro baseball in Meriden, Connecticut. With Scranton in his first year, he tied for the league lead in two-base hits, led in runs batted in and made the All-Star team. In 1950 Jim was selected by Look Magazine on the American Association All-Star team, and in 1951 he was named on the Southern Association All-Star team. In the game of June 10, 1953 at St. Louis, Piersall made six straight hits off five pitchers to equal the major league record. He was voted the American League Sophomore of the Year by the Baseball Writers' Association. Last winter he represented a local provision company. His hobbies are fishing and golf. He is married, has three young daughters and makes his home in Newtonville, Mass.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1948	Scranton	East.	141	527	74	148	227	92	12	.281	372	10	9	.977
1949	Louisville	A.A.	125	446	58	121	159	58	3	.271	357	18	7	.982
1950	Louisville	A.A.	131	487	97	124	180	60	3	.255	369	18	4	.990
1950	Boston	A.L.	6	7	4	2	2	0	0	.286	9	0	0	1.000
1951	Boston	A.L.						no record						
1951	Louisville	A.A.	17	42	8	13	17	2	0	.310	25	1	0	1.000
1951	Birmingham	South.	121	437	100	151	250	83	15	.346	407	18	8	.982
1952	Boston	A.L.	56	161	28	43	54	16	1	.267	79	79	10	.940
1952	Birmingham	South.	18	56	10	19	28	10	1	.339	55	1	0	1.000
1953	Boston	A.L.	151	585	76	159	207	52	3	.272	352	15	5	.987

GLEN EUGENE STEPHENS (Outfielder)

Born Gravette, Arkansas, January 20, 1933
Bats Left and Throws Right; 6' 3", 175 lbs.

Stephens played high school and American Legion ball in Gravette, attended the University of Arkansas and was signed to a High Point-Thomasville contract by "Wog" Rice. Another member of the Rookie School at Sarasota in 1952, he joined the Red Sox in April. On June 18, 1953 against Detroit, Gene made three hits in one inning to equal an all-time record shared by Burns, Williamson and Pfeffer (Chicago, 1883). His hobby is hunting. He is married, has a young daughter and spends the winters in Gravette.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1951	Hi-Tom	N. C. St.	122	472	118	159	277	112	22	.337	194	11	13	.940
1952	Boston	A.L.	21	53	10	12	17	5	0	.226	24	1	1	.962
1952	Albany	East.	35	124	15	22	35	19	3	.177	41	2	4	.915
1952	Louisville	A.A.	60	216	43	61	88	17	3	.282	132	2	6	.957
1953	Boston	A.L.	78	221	30	45	64	18	3	.204	113	2	4	.966
1953	Louisville	A.A.	30	112	22	24	45	9	5	.214	85	0	1	.988

FRANKLIN LEAL SULLIVAN (Pitcher)

Born Hollywood, California, January 23, 1930

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 7", 220 lbs.

Sullivan graduated from Burbank High School in 1947, and later attended the University of Southern California. In 1948, while playing semi-pro ball, he signed with Birmingham and split the season between San Jose and Oroville. The Red Sox purchased his contract from Albany last July. "Sully" served with the combat infantry in Korea. His other sports interest is basketball and his hobby is fishing. During the off season Frank was employed by the Burbank School Board. He is married.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1948	San Jose	Calif.	4	0	0	1	8	20	19	8	10	2	9.00
1948	Oroville	Far West	4	1	1	3	19	16	12	15	31	23	7.10
1949	San Jose	Calif.	34	12	12	10	172	80	141	54	126	119	2.83
1950	Scranton	East.	16	2	3	6	83	74	105	58	41	31	6.29
1951-1952	Military	Service											
1953	Albany	East.	28	1	9	6	96	26	70	19	37	69	1.78
1953	Boston	A.L.	14	0	1	1	26	16	24	16	11	17	5.54

ALLEN DUDLEY VAN ALSTYNE (Outfielder)

Born Birmingham, Alabama, July 6, 1929

Bats and Throws Right; 6' 1", 190 lbs.

Van Alstyne is a son of Clayton E. Van Alstyne who pitched for Washington in 1927 and 1928. He has a brother Clayton, Jr., who was an infielder in the Pittsburgh organization. Allen is a graduate of St. Lawrence University with a B.S. degree. A navy veteran, he signed a Birmingham contract and was optioned to Scranton in 1950. Van was selected on the all-star teams of the California League in 1951 and the Eastern League in 1953. His other sports are basketball and golf, and his hobbies are hunting and fishing. In the off season Al is a salesman for a manufacturing company. He is married, has a young daughter, and makes his home in Stuyvesant, New York.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1950	Scranton	East.	46	175	21	44	53	19	0	.251	101	6	2	.981
1951	Birmingham	South.	8	23	3	5	8	3	0	.217	10	2	0	1.000
1951	Scranton	East.	11	29	7	9	16	4	1	.310				
1951	San Jose	Calif.	113	440	63	134	201	71	8	.305	322	7	2	.994
1952	Louisville	A.A.	52	136	17	36	41	2	0	.265	98	5	6	.945
1952	Toronto	Int.	11	34	4	8	10	1	0	.235	28	1	1	.967
1952	Birmingham	South.	49	161	21	38	57	19	4	.236	118	5	4	.969
1953	Louisville	A.A.	18	52	9	8	13	6	1	.154	41	3	0	1.000
1953	Albany	East.	123	468	66	133	192	69	7	.284	314	15	12	.965

WILLIAM GEORGE WERLE (Pitcher)

Born Oakland, Calif., December 21, 1922

Bats and Throws Left; 6' 2", 192 lbs.

After graduating from Modesta Junior College in 1942, Werle attended the University of California and was signed to his first contract by the late Charles Graham, then president of the San Francisco Seals. Bill's contract was acquired by the Red Sox from the St. Louis Cardinals in October, 1952. On option to Louisville last season, he completed ten of eleven games started. His other sports interests are basketball and handball, and his hobbies are stamps and phonograph records. Werle is married, has a son and winters in San Mateo.

Year	Club	League	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA
1943	San Francisco	P.C.	9		1	2	26	21	26	14	13	10	4.84
1944	San Francisco	P.C.	36	24	14	19	289	160	331	130	84	129	4.05
1945	Military Service												
1946	San Francisco	P.C.	33	11	12	8	175	63	173	44	59	72	2.26
1947	San Francisco	P.C.	36	14	12	12	205	103	231	75	42	80	3.29
1948	San Francisco	P.C.	34	23	17	7	250	93	256	76	61	136	2.74
1949	Pittsburgh	N.L.	35	10	12	13	221	117	243	104	51	106	4.24
1950	Pittsburgh	N.L.	48	6	8	16	215	127	249	110	65	78	4.60
1951	Pittsburgh	N.L.	59	2	8	6	150	102	181	94	51	57	5.64
1952	Pittsburgh	N.L.	24	0	1	2	43	28	49	25	16	24	5.23
1952	St. Louis	N.L.											
1953	Boston	A.L.	5	0	0	1	12	3	7	2	1	4	1.50
1953	Louisville	A.A.	31	10	13	8	128	40	97	37	25	58	2.60

SAMMY CHARLES WHITE (Catcher)

Born Wenatchee, Washington, July 7, 1928
Bats and Throws Right; 6' 3", 195 lbs.

White was a baseball and basketball star at the University of Washington. He signed with Seattle in 1949 and hit a home run his first time at bat. His contract was purchased by the Red Sox during the season of 1949. With Roanoke in 1950 he was chosen on the Piedmont League All-Star team. After a fine season in 1952, Sammy was named by the Baseball Writers' as co-winner of the Boston Rookie of the Year award. Last June against Detroit White scored three runs in one inning to equal the major league record established in 1883. He led the American League catchers in put-outs and assists, made an unassisted double play to tie the record by catchers, and was voted on the All-Star team. In the off season Sammy represented an insurance company and coached basketball at Beverly High School. He is married, has a young son and lives in West Newton, Mass.

Year	Club	League	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA
1949	Seattle	P.C.	60	173	23	52	64	20	2	.302	210	23	5	.979
1949	Louisville	A.A.	8	21	3	3	5	3	0	.143	20	2	0	1.000
1949	Oneonta	Can. Am.	30	121	15	31	46	21	2	.256	114	6	4	.968
1950	Roanoke	Pied.	111	422	60	109	155	43	6	.258	554	66	14	.978
1951	Scranton	East.	120	434	57	116	176	63	12	.267	665	72	17	.977
1951	Boston	A.L.	4	11	0	2	2	0	0	.182	15	1	0	1.000
1952	Boston	A.L.	115	381	35	107	161	49	10	.281	464	59	9	.983
1953	Boston	A.L.	136	476	59	130	207	64	13	.273	588	68	9	.986

TOP RED SOX MARKS

BATTING AVERAGE (Ted Williams, 1941)	.406
CONSECUTIVE GAMES BATTING SAFELY (D. DiMaggio, 1949)	34
HOME RUNS (Jimmy Foss, 1938)	50
RUNS BATTED IN (Foss, 1938)	175
HITS (Tris Speaker, 1912)	222
RUNS (Ted Williams, 1949)	150
DOUBLES (Earl Webb, 1931)	67
TRIPLES (Charles Stahl, 1904; Speaker, 1913)	22
STOLEN BASES (Speaker, 1912)	52
BASES ON BALLS (Ted Williams, 1947-1949)	162
STRIKEOUTS, MOST (Jimmy Fots, 1938)	119
STRIKEOUTS, FEWEST (John McInnis, 1921)	9

PITCHING

GAMES WON (Joe Wood, 1912)	34
GAMES LOST (Charley Ruffing, 1928)	25
MOST GAMES (Ellis Kinder, 1953)	69
GAMES STARTED (Cy Young, 1902)	43
GAMES FINISHED (Kinder, 1953)	51
COMPLETE GAMES (Cy Young, 1902)	41
INNINGS PITCHED (Cy Young, 1902)	386
BASES ON BALLS (Mel Parnell, 1949)	134
STRIKEOUTS (Joe Wood, 1912)	258
SHUTOUTS (Young, 1904; Wood, 1912)	10

HOME GAMES 1954

APRIL	Washington	15
	Philadelphia	17, 18 (Sun. 2)
	New York	19 (Hol. 10:15 A.M.), 19 (Hol. 2:30 P.M.)
	Cleveland	27, 28, 29
	Chicago	30
MAY	Chicago	1
	Baltimore	2 (Sun. 2)
	Detroit	4, 5, 6
	Washington	7 (N), 8, 9 (Sun. 2)
	New York	28 (N), 29, 30 (Sun.)
	Philadelphia	31 (Hol. 2)
JUNE	Chicago	2 (N), 3, 4
	Detroit	6 (N), 6 (Sun.), 7
	Baltimore	8 (N), 9, 10
	Cleveland	11 (N), 12, 13 (Sun.)
	New York	29 (N), 30
JULY	New York	1
	Philadelphia	2 (N), 3, 4 (Sun.)
	Detroit	15 (N), 16, 17
	Baltimore	18 (Sun. 2), 19
	Cleveland	20 (N),, 21, 22
	Chicago	23 (N), 24, 25 (Sun. 2)
AUGUST	Washington	10 (N), 11, 12
	New York	20 (N), 21, 22 (Sun.)
	Detroit	24, 25
	Baltimore	26 (N), 27, 28
	Cleveland	29 (Sun.), 30
	Chicago	31
SEPTEMBER	Chicago	1
	Philadelphia	20, 21, 22
	Washington	24, 25, 26 (Sun.)